

Center Meeting House  
Near Centerville  
New Castle County, Delaware

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Historic American Buildings Survey  
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909 West Street, Wilmington, Delaware

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CENTER MEETING HOUSE  
Near Centerville, New Castle County, Delaware.

Owner: Society of Friends.

Date of Erection: 1706.

Present Condition: Good.

Number of Stories: One and a half.

Materials of Construction: Brick, stuccoed on ends, rake roofs with gable. Shallow frame porch to double entrances on front.

Other Existing Records: Office of Recorder of Deeds and Register of Wills, New Castle County, Wilmington, Delaware.

Additional Data: This is one of a series of Quaker meeting houses in Northern Delaware and adjoining Pennsylvania Counties. The sheds for horse-drawn vehicles are still in evidence and the porch, sheltering the double door-ways, is a useful feature but perhaps giving the meeting house a suggestion of a two home row. The stucco is later. Fortunately the bricks on the facade have been left untouched and have their primitive interesting surface and texture.

Laussat R. Rogers.

Approved

Anton H. Bule  
District Officer

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